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On demand, .....	2214
On Calcutta—	
Wire, .....	2214
On demand, .....	2214
On Shanghai—	
On demand, .....	724
30 days' sight, private paper, 724	
Gold Leaf, 100 fine (per tael) 332.50	
Sovereigns (Baz's buying rate) \$ 6.24	

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## POST OFFICE NOTICES.

### MAILS will close:—

**For BANGKOK.**—  
 Per *Phra Neng*, at 2.30 a.m., on Tuesday, the 23rd inst.

**For SAMARANG & SOURABAYA.**—  
 Per *Chilaka*, at 9.30 a.m., on Tuesday, the 23rd inst.

**For SHANGHAI.**—  
 Per *Changsha*, at 3.30 a.m., on Tuesday, the 23rd inst.

Per *Kueilin*, at 11.30 a.m., on Tuesday, the 23rd inst.

**For SINGAPORE & LONDON.**—  
 Per *Pembrokeshire*, at 11.30 a.m., on Tuesday, the 23rd inst.

**For YOKOHAMA & KOBE.**—  
 Per *Franga*, at 11.30 a.m., on Tuesday, the 23rd inst.

**For SWATOW, AMOY & POOCHOW.**—  
 Per *Zentan*, at 11.30 a.m., on Tuesday, the 23rd inst.

**For AUSTRALIAN PORTS.**—  
 Per *Adrie*, at 3.30 p.m., on Tuesday, the 23rd inst.

**For SHANGHAI.**—  
 Per *Yuenang*, at 3.30 p.m., on Tuesday, the 23rd inst.

**For SAIGON.**—  
 Per *Holstein*, at 4.30 p.m., on Tuesday, the 23rd inst.

**For AMOY & MANILA.**—  
 Per *St. Paul*, at 4.30 p.m., on Tuesday, the 23rd inst.

**For HOIHOW & PAKHOL.**—  
 Per *Triumph*, at 5 p.m., on Tuesday, the 23rd inst.

**For SINGAPORE.**—  
 Per *Oceanic*, at 9.30 a.m., on Wednesday, the 30th inst.

**For NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA.**—  
 Per *Vernon*, at 11.30 a.m., on Friday, the 2nd Oct.

**For STRAITS & CALCUTTA.**—  
 Per *Weymouth*, at 11.30 a.m., on Friday, the 2nd Oct.



## Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

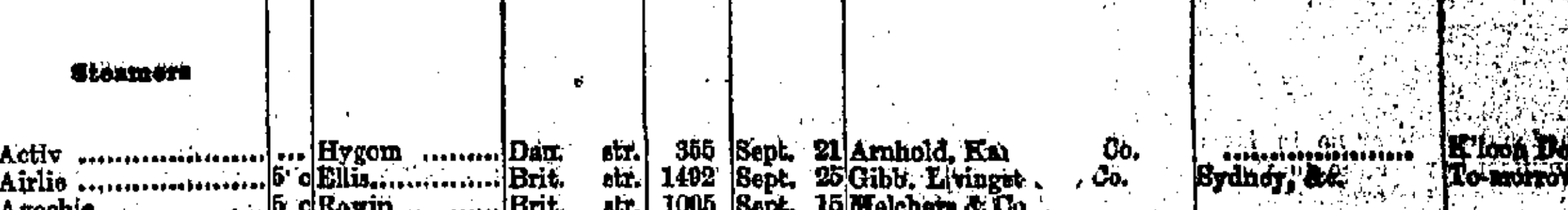
**Exclusive of late Arrivals and Departures Reported to-day.**

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eleven Sections, commencing at Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked A, those near the Kowloon shore B, and those in the body of the Harbour C.

Shipping or midway between each shore are marked c., in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.

<p><b>Section.</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. From Green Island to the Gas Works.</li> <li>2. From Gas Works to Jardine's Wharf.</li> <li>3. From Jardine's Wharf to the Harbour Master's Office.</li> <li>4. From Harbour Master's Office to the P. and O. Co.'s Office.</li> <li>5. From P. and O. Co.'s Office to Peddar's Wharf.</li> </ol>	<p><b>Section.</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>7. From Naval Yard to Blue Buildings.</li> <li>8. From Blue Buildings to East Point.</li> <li>9. From Kallist's Island to North Point.</li> <li>10. Kowloon Wharves.</li> <li>11. Jardine's Wharf.</li> </ol>
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<i>Anchor No.</i>	<i>Captain.</i>	<i>Flag and Reg.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Date of Arrival.</i>	<i>Consignees or Agents.</i>
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Ganton	3	h	Sellar	Brit.	str.	1140	Sept.	28	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	
Changsha	5	c	Williams	Brit.	str.	1413	Sept.	28	Butterfield & Swire	
Chengchow	3	c	Webb	Brit.	str.	1513	Sept.	24	Onslow	
Chefoo	3	c	Georgio	Brit.	str.	1513	Sept.	24	Arncliffe, Karberg & Co.	
Chingham	5	c	Walsen	Brit.	str.	1514	Sept.	26	Smith, Smith & Co.	Sourabaya To-morrow
Frings	3	c	Nagel	Ger.	str.	1800	Sept.	25	Meinichen & Co.	Yokohama To-morrow
General Warden	10	k	Blanko	Ger.	str.	3230	Sept.	25	Melchers & Co.	
Glenarkey	5	c	Arbuthnot	Brit.	str.	1043	Sept.	28	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	
Haitan	5	h	Ashton	Brit.	str.	1193	Sept.	27	Douglas Steamship Co.	Swatow, &c. To-morrow
Holstein	3	c	Brühn	Ger.	str.	355	Sept.	21	Tung Kee & Co.	Saigon To-morrow
Johnann	5	c	Quigg	Brit.	str.	436	Sept.	28	Butterfield & Swire	Kobe To-morrow
Chungking	3	c	Quigg	Brit.	str.	997	Sept.	28	Butterfield & Swire	
Kaisow	5	c	Ostlie	Brit.	str.	1936	Sept.	27	Arncliffe, Karberg & Co.	Shanghai To-day
Kweilin	3	c	Vaudin	Brit.	str.	1038	Sept.	28	Butterfield & Swire	Shanghai To-morrow
Lancelot	5	h	Matheson	Brit.	str.	1654	Sept.	23	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	
Mankut	2	h	Anderson	Brit.	str.	659	Sept.	23	Yuen Tai Hong	
Parthia	3	c	Panton	Brit.	str.	2035	Sept.	11	Doddwell, Carril & Co.	
Perak	3	c	Greenwell	Brit.	str.	1715	Sept.	27	Doddwell, Carril & Co.	
Phu Nam	3	h	Watson	Brit.	str.	1021	Sept.	17	Yuen Tai Hong	
									London, &c. To-morrow	
									Bangkok To-morrow	

Pilot Fish	1	H. Shepard	Brit.	tug.	161	Sept.	H. K. & W. Duck Co.	
Pratt	3	C. Jensen	Ger.	str.	688	Sept.	Simsen & Co.	Humphong
Riversdale	2	McMurry	Brit.	str.	679	Sept.	Edman Bishi	Nagasaki
Shore & Osborne	5	C. Madge	Brit.	str.	1028	Sept.	Edman Bishi	Yokohama
Stuart	2	W. G. Peck	Brit.	str.	1028	Sept.	Edman Bishi	Yokohama
Verona	1	C. Seymour	Brit.	str.	1272	Sept.	P. & O. S. N. Co.	Yokohama
Warriors	8	M. Miller	Ger.	str.	612	Sept.	Wieland & Co.	
Wingsang	5	S. C. Greif	Brit.	str.	1517	Sept.	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Colon, C.
Wingwang	2	W. G. Peck	Brit.	str.	1028	Sept.	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Colon, C.
Yokohama	5	C. Johnson	Brit.	str.	576	Sept.	Stewart & Co.	Amoy

Sailing Vessels.									
Annie H. Smith	9	Kendall	Amer.	sh.	1452	Sept.	12	Hewitt & Co.	
Dorothy	3		Brit.	bge.	310	Sept.	16	Chinese	
Elsie	5	Pluffer	Ger.	sh.	1375	Aug.	5	Siemssen & Co.	
Harvard	6	Colcord	Amer.	bge.	1000	Aug.	27	Reuter, Brockschmidt & Co.	
Iris	6	Shaw	Brit.	sch.	295	Aug.	31	Siemssen & Co.	
Jessie	3	Oesemann	Ger.	bge.	853	July	29	Geo. R. Stevens & Co.	
Kitty	5	Wilson	Brit.	bge.	603	July	21	Musso	

Maria Berg .....	cHindrichs	Ger.	bq.	638	Aug.	26	Wielert & Co.
Nam Shun Shing .....	cLok Li Tong	Chi.	sch.	345	Sept.	25	Chiness
Nancy Pendleton .....	kPendleton	Amar.	sh.	1885	Aug.	24	Russell & Co.
Orient .....	cGounhard	Ger.	bq.	701	Sept.	21	Wielert & Co.
Tarapaca .....	cKausch	Belg.	bq.	495	Sept.	13	Gibb, Livingston & Co.
Wm. Le Lachette .....	cReynel	Belg.	bq.	673	Sept.	26	Gibb, Livingston & Co.

Her Britannic Majesty's Ships on the China Station.

Name.	Reg.	Tons.	Guns.	I.H.P.	Captain.	Where built.
Alacrity	despatch-vessel	1700	4	3180	Com. Chas. H. Adair	Swatow

Egeria	surveying ship	740	—	—	Commander A. M. Field	Singapore
Esk	g.-bt. 3rd class coast defence	383	3	340		In reserve
Firebrand	gunboat 2nd class	455	4	460	Ldsut. Com. Denison	Foochow
Hyacinth	cruiser	1420	8	1190	Captain Robt. W. Craigie	On a cruise
		2420	10	2400	Captain E. W. S. D. E.	Wanhsien

Loader	craiser 2nd class	4300	10	6600	Captain Burgess Watson	Ehlers
Lidner	gun-vessel 2nd class	768	6	1080	Commander V. A. Tindall	Nagasaki
Morotry	craiser	3730	13	7200	Capt. Chas. J. Ballour	Shanghai
Peacock	gunboat 1st class	750	6	1200	Lieut. Commander Ingraham	Wahiti
Pigny	gunboat 1st class	755	6	1200	Lieut. Com. Hewitt	Hongkong
Plorer	gunboat 1st class	766	6	1200	Lieut. Com. E. G. Rason	Amoy

Rattlesnake	gunboat 1st class	715	6	1200	Lieut. Comdr. J. G. Hough	Shiloh
Redpole	gunboat 1st class	805	6	1200	Lieut. Comdr. F. Wm. Freeman	Chillicothe
Savon	cruiser	4050	12	6000	Captain Hall	Chillicothe
Soloist	torpedo mining launch	180	—	—		Chillicothe
Swift	gun-ramo 2nd class	755	5	1010	Commander Robt. D. B. Bruce	Chillicothe
Tweed	g-b. 1st class coast defence	363	3	340		Chillicothe

Vigor Emanuel Wivern	receiving and converting armour	2750	14	1450	CONVERTING ARMOUR	1450
						1450

Torpedo Boats in Reserve Nos. 8, 20, 35, 36, 37 and 38, first class; and 3 second class boats.

\* Flagship of Vice-Admiral Sir Fred. W. Richards, K.C.B.

THE H. M. S. "Hira" tonnage, displacements and offensive horse powers are given according to H. M. Navy List.

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Admiral Nakhimoff	Russian armored cruiser	8600	32	8000	Captain Fedoroff	Singapore
Albatross	Russian gunboat	800	—	—	Captain Parvess	Nagasaki
Alexandrine	German cruiser	3320	—	—	Captain Schmidt	Yokohama
Albatross	U. S. gunboat	615	—	—	Captain H. O. Taylor	Yokohama
Arago	Spanish cruiser	1038	—	—	Captain J. Soler	Osaka
Argis	French gunboat	470	4	450	Commander Jourzet	Kobe
Chasseur	French despatch vessel	—	—	—	Captain Regard	Saigon
Diu	Portuguese gun boat	706	—	—	Captain H. M. Gomes	Macao

Inconstant	French gunboat	800	—	—	Capt. de Joux	Hailu
Kongo	Japanese cruiser	2340	—	—	Captain Hinko	Yokohama
Kowsitz	Russian gunboat	1200	—	—	Captain Piliand	Madagaskar
Leipzig	German cruiser	3500	—	—	Captain Rottger	Yokohama
Luta	French gunboat	485	4	425	Captain Ndy	Tonkin
Madajour	Russian gun-vessel	1100	9	1200	Captain Kass	Hankow
Marlon	U. S. corvette	1000	7	1170	Captain Dyer	Yokohama
Moscow	U. S. ship	1370	8	1470	Lieut.-Com. M. L. Johnson	Yokohama
Omaha	U. S. corvette	2400	12	1180	Capt. Oranwell	Yokohama
Palos	U. S. gunboat	420	6	500	Lieut.-Com. Osgood	Yokohama

Reina Cristina	Spanish cruiser	3000	—	—	Captain Ingalls	Seattle
Rio Lima	Portuguese gunboat	640	—	—	Captain J. R. Baile	Portland
Steuerschnitz	Austrian cruiser	—	—	1000	Captain J. H. B. Baile	Portland
Sophia	German cruiser	2100	—	—	Captain H. B. Baile	Portland
Suvarata	corvette	—	—	—	Commander John McGowan	Kobe
Tojo	Portuguese gunboat	600	3	100	Lieut. Com. G. R. Canham	Macon
Triumphante	French cruiser	4500	—	—	Capt. de Corv. J. H. Baile	Portland
Valer	French cruiser	—	—	—	Captain Thomas	Madras
Viper	French gunboat	480	4	425	Commander Constable	Portland
Voltorno	Italian gunboat	346	—	—	Captain R. C. Baile	Portland

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